

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims replaces all prior claims of the application.

Claim 1 (currently amended): A cleaning implement for cleaning golf equipment, comprising:

a towel comprising a flexible fabric material; and
a flexible pocket secured to said towel, said pocket having at least two abrasive regions attached therein and substantially parallel thereto in spaced relation on said flexible fabric material, said abrasive regions having adjacent edges separated to define a space there between, and said pocket being foldable along said space to ~~dimensioned and disposed for placement~~ dispose said abrasive regions in spaced, at least partially overlying relationship, whereby an item to be cleaned may be placed between said at least partially overlying abrasive regions for cleaning.

Claim 2 (original): The cleaning implement of claim 1, wherein at least one of said abrasive regions comprises hook or loop fastening material of the type used in cooperating hook and loop fasteners.

Claim 3 (original): The cleaning implement of claim 1, wherein each of said abrasive regions comprises hook or loop fastening material of the type used in cooperating hook and loop fasteners.

Claim 4 (original): The cleaning implement of claim 1, wherein each of said abrasive regions comprises hook or loop fastening material of the type used in cooperating hook and loop fasteners, with both of said abrasive regions comprising the same type of fastening material such that said regions will not stick together.

Claim 5 (original): The cleaning implement of claim 1, wherein at least one of said abrasive regions comprises a non-metallic scrubbing material.

Claim 6 (original): The cleaning implement of claim 1, wherein said abrasive regions comprise different abrasive materials having different textures.

Claim 7: Canceled

Claim 8 (currently amended): The cleaning implement of claim 1 ~~7~~, wherein said pocket ~~is abrasive regions~~ are attached in a corner region of said towel.

Claim 9 (currently amended): The cleaning implement of claim 8 ~~7~~, further comprising ornamental or promotional indicia secured to said towel.

Claim 10: Canceled

Claim 11 (currently amended): The cleaning implement of claim 1 ~~10~~, wherein said pocket is at least partially stitched to said towel.

Claim 12 (currently amended): The cleaning implement of claim 1 ~~10~~, wherein said pocket is at least partially secured to said towel by a releasable fastener ~~fasteners~~, such that said pocket may be at least partially opened.

Claim 13 (original): The cleaning implement of claim 12, wherein said releasable fasteners comprise snap fasteners.

Claim 14 (original): The cleaning implement of claim 12, wherein said releasable fasteners comprise cooperating hook and loop type fasteners.

Claim 15 (currently amended): A cleaning implement for use in cleaning golf equipment, comprising:

a towel comprising a flexible fabric material;

a flexible pocket secured to said towel; and

at least two abrasive regions attached parallel to said pocket and having adjacent edges in spaced relation ~~on said flexible fabric material~~,
wherein said pocket includes a first edge portion stitched to said towel and a second edge portion secured to said towel by releasable fasteners, such that said pocket may be moved from a closed position parallel to said towel to an at least partially opened position, whereby said pocket may be folded to dispose said abrasive regions ~~dimensioned and disposed for placement~~ in spaced, at least partially overlying relationship, whereby an item to be cleaned may be placed between said abrasive regions for cleaning.

Claim 16: Canceled

Claim 17 (currently amended): The cleaning implement of claim 15 ~~16~~, wherein said pocket is disposed at a corner region adjacent a first end of said towel and further comprising an attaching mechanism for attaching said towel to a golf bag or cart secured adjacent a second end of said towel substantially opposite said first end.

Claim 18 (currently amended): A cleaning implement for use in cleaning golf equipment, comprising:

a substantially rectangular towel having first and second opposite ends at respective top and bottom edges, said top and bottom edges connected by substantially parallel side edges, said towel comprising an absorbent flexible fabric material;

a pocket secured to said towel at a corner of said towel adjacent said first end, said pocket having two substantially perpendicular edge portions, one of said perpendicular edge portions extending substantially parallel to and stitched to a side edge portion of said towel, the other of said perpendicular edge portions extending substantially parallel to and secured by releasable fasteners to said bottom edge portion of said towel, whereby said pocket may be selectively opened;

at least two abrasive regions attached in spaced relation on an interior face of said pocket, said abrasive regions dimensioned and disposed for folding into spaced, at least partially overlying relationship, whereby an item to be cleaned may be placed between said abrasive regions for cleaning; and

an attaching mechanism for attaching said towel to a golf bag or cart secured adjacent said a second end of said towel at a top corner of said towel substantially diagonally opposite said pocket.

Claim 19: Canceled

Claim 20: Canceled

Claim 21: Canceled

Claim 22: Canceled

Claim 23 (new): A cleaning implement for use in cleaning golf equipment, comprising:
a substantially rectangular towel comprising an absorbent flexible fabric material;
a pocket secured to said towel at a corner of said towel, said pocket having two substantially perpendicular edge portions, one of said perpendicular edge portions attached to said towel and extending substantially parallel to a side edge portion of said towel, the other of said perpendicular edge portions secured by a releasable fastener to said towel, whereby said pocket may be selectively opened to permit at least two abrasive regions attached in spaced relation on an interior face of said pocket to be folded into at least partially overlying relationship, whereby an item to be cleaned may be placed between said overlying abrasive regions for cleaning.